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Compositions In Mineral Construction Materials

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## **NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31**

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated December 21, 2010 in the above-identified patent application.

The appeal fee of \$540.00 as applicable under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. \$41.20(b)(1) was previously paid with our Notice of Appeal dated March 2, 2010. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayments as a result of the filing of this paper to Deposit Account No. 02-3978.

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